

TRACES

Friede

FRIEDE, Willy

1. KGL-A-1512, 17 Mar 50 (in Odeum ITALY file).
FRIEDE's own account, which claims that he is the whole Odeum show in Italy.
2. WILSON-WALDMAN conversation (undated) mentioned as possibly connected with Rust's ties to the Vatican.
3. PIR-4192, dtd 5 July 1949, Reference PIR-2822, Subj: Nazi-Fascist Clandestine Emigration Organization in Italy, Eval: B-3, IID # 43-6-1-13.
"The existence in Italy of an organization for the clandestine emigration of Nazi-Fascists to South America has been reported by many informants and is now confirmed. In Rome the principal center for the assembly of these persons is the Salvatoriano Convent located on Via della Conciliazione 51, where they are given assistance during the period necessary to carry out the formalities connected with their expatriation. They are assisted in this action by the well-known Willy FRIEDE, stateless person, librarian of the German-Hungarian College located on Via S. Nicolo da Tolentino 13, Rome.
4. PIR-2622, 26 Nov 48, Subj: Clandestine Nazi Emigration to South America, B-3.
Re-asserts the above and adds the following: The parents of Willy FRIEDE are Wilhelm and Ida Haman; ~~Wilhelm~~ Willy was born at Arendses on 30 Sep 12, is a former major in the German army.
5. PIR-1929, 5 Aug 48, Subj: FRIEDE, Willy, IID # 43-7-22-4.
Father's name: Wilhelm. Mother's name: Ida HAMAN. Born: Arendses (CSR), 30 Sep 12. Profession: Agriculturalist. Citizenship: Czechoslovakian origin, now stateless. Came to Italy from Switzerland 30 Oct 46, lives at the German-Hungarian College on Via S. Nicolo da Tolentino 13, Rome, where he is employed as a librarian. In possession of sojourn permit # 9465, dtd 29 Nov 46, issued by the Rome Questura, and a card of legitimization # 28977 issued by the International Red Cross in Rome 21 Oct 46. Subj claims that in Nov 45 he was ordered by Soviet occupation authorities to leave Czechoslovakian territory because he was of Sudetan origin. Went to Amzone of Germany, thence to Switzerland, then to Italy, crossing the Italian frontier clandestinely near Chiasso 30 Oct 46. Came to Rome 14 Nov 46 in order to obtain facilities for emigration to South America. An ex-officer in the German army, Subject was a major in Von PAULUS' 6th Army and fought at Stalingrad. Was wounded in combat and captured by the Russians. His story is that he was sent to Siberia but escaped and returned to Germany via Austria.
6. Excerpt from the FBIB, Moscow Radio, TASS, 20 Nov 48:
Overseas News Agency reports that German officers are being recruited and sent through Rome, where they are helped by an Obersturmfuehrer FRIED, who works as the librarian at the Collegio Germanico in the Vatican. Instructions from Syria were sent by a Colonel of the German Army, Heinrich VON DAUHL.
7. Excerpt from ESD-84, Flincher B-3, 18 Oct 48:
Miklos UDAWARI, Hungarian engineer, was recruited in Rome by a FRIEDE, for the Syrian Army.

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